

June 5, 1973 - tele.

Dear Vickie and Jim,

It is a very rainy day and has been like this all week. The Governor's conference is here and I know they will never see even a glimpse of Mt. Rainier.

Our yard is beautiful and I hope it will look this nice by the time you get here. The rhododendrons and azaleas have been just beautiful. If I can just manage to keep the slugs from eating my flower plantings, I will have a pretty flower garden this summer.

I certainly hope the big trip will go there. It should be a nice trip on the boat this time of the year and then Jim, to be met by Vickie in Manila is just too exciting.

Vickie I think it is really

great that you plan to see us before leaving for Maesilla.

Mary and I are already making notes of few things to do.

Mary is feeling good and she is being given three showers. Kim and Diane are giving one the 12 of this month. Matine Minnick is giving one with all the neighbors. July 3rd Ruthie and Marge Jewett are giving one at Marge's house. Marty is invited and Marie Donnelly, although it is really a family shower, etc. are all interested to see how Marty and Lillian get along.

I am going out now and mail this and do some shopping.

Love,
Mom.